

Southern Berkshire Regional School District

SCHOOL COMMITTEE MEETING #1,513

Thursday, August 25, 2016 6:00 p.m. Mount Everett Regional School Library 491 Berkshire School Road Sheffield, MA 01257

All interested members of the public are invited to attend.

[The listing of matters is those reasonably anticipated by the Chairman which may be discussed at the meeting. Not all items listed may in fact be discussed and other items not listed may also be brought up for discussion to the extent permitted by law.]

1. CALL TO ORDER

- 2. <u>APPROVAL OF MINUTES:</u> School Committee Meeting #1511, Special Meeting #1512 was cancelled.
- 3. <u>COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE AUDIENCE PERTAINING TO THIS EVENING'S AGENDA ITEMS</u>
- Motion to go into Executive Session to conduct contract negotiations with nonunion personnel, being the Principal, and to reconvene in open session. Roll Call Vote Required.

4. <u>UPDATE(S)/PRESENTATION(S)</u>

5. **BUSINESS**

- A. Approval of the Elementary Principal's Contract
- B. Discussion regarding the Assistant Elementary Principal Position
- C. Letter from the Town of New Marlborough regarding Assessments
- D. Discussion of Spanish in the Elementary Schools
- E. Newly Hired Teachers with Prior ESP Experience
 - a. Elizabeth O'Donnell's Contract NMC Grade1/2 Teacher
 - b. Stephanie Duquette's Contract Grade 5 Teacher UME
- F. Superintendent's Report D. Hastings
- G. Governor's Final Budget and Effect on Assessments C. Regan
 - 1. Financial Updates/Transfers (as needed)
- H. Subcommittee/Representative Reports
 - Executive Evaluation Subcommittee B. Silvers Superintendent Search
 - 2. Food Subcommittee F. Lartigue

5. COMMUNICATION FROM THE PUBLIC / REQUESTS FOR FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

6. **GENERAL INFORMATION**

The next School Committee meetings are:

• September 22, October 20, November 17, December 15, January 12, February 2, February 16, March 9, April 6, April 27, May 18, June 8, June 29

Other Upcoming Meetings and Events are as Follows:

- First Day Staff Orientation August 25, 2016
- Second Day Staff Orientation August 26, 2016
- First Day of School for Students August 29, 2016 Half Day

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